**Common Assessment Study Guide**

1. Geography-
2. Four hemispheres-
3. Latitude-
   1. Equator-
4. Longitude-
   1. Prime Meridian-
5. Land:
   1. Deciduous-
   2. Coniferous-
   3. Chaparral-
   4. Permafrost-
   5. Prairie-
   6. Savanna-
6. Weather, Climate & Seasons:
   1. Climate-
   2. Weather-
   3. Precipitation-
   4. Solstice-
   5. Equinox-
   6. Rotation-
   7. Revolution-
7. Ecosystems:
   1. Tundra characteristics-
   2. Continental Climate characteristics-
   3. Tropical Humid characteristics-
8. 5 Themes of Geography and Examples
   1. Region
      1. Formal-
      2. Functional-
      3. Perceptual-
   2. Location
      1. Absolute-
      2. Relative-
   3. Place
   4. Movement
   5. Human-Environment Interaction
9. Flow of air and water-
10. Population and Culture:
    1. Urban vs. Rural
    2. Population distribution and trends-
    3. Material vs. Nonmaterial culture-
    4. Diffusion/Cultural Convergence-
    5. Cultural Divergence-
    6. Immigrant vs. Emigrant-
11. Government Systems-
    1. Monarchy-
    2. Democracy-
    3. Federation-
    4. Dictatorship-
12. Unitary- Economic Systems:
    1. Mixed economy-
    2. Traditional economy-
    3. Market economy-
    4. Command economy-
13. Economic Activities:
    1. Primary economic activity-
       1. Subsistence vs. Commercial Farming-
    2. Secondary economic activity-
       1. Cottage vs. Commercial Industry-
    3. Tertiary economic activity-
    4. Quaternary economic activity-
14. World Resources:
    1. Renewable resources-
    2. Nonrenewable resources-
    3. Natural resources-
15. Economy Vocabulary:
    1. Import vs. Export-
    2. GDP-
16. Energy Sources:
    1. Fossil Fuel-
    2. Nuclear-
    3. Water-
    4. Geothermal-
    5. Solar-